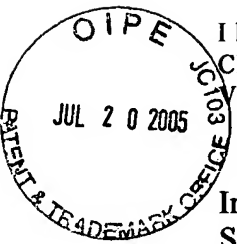


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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Fermin Marquez ARZATE et al.

Serial No. 10/780,021

Art Unit: 2831

Filed: February 16, 2004

Examiner: William Mayo II

For: **IMPROVED OVERHEAD AND UNDERGROUND TELEPHONE LEAD IN CABLE FOR VOICE, DATA AND VIDEO TRANSMISSION SERVICES**

**BOX AF (EXPEDITED PROCESSING)**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION in the above-identified application.

   Small Entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

   A verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

   No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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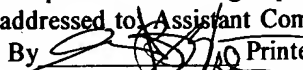
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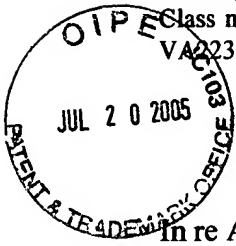
   A check in the amount of \$

   If a Petition for Extension of Time is necessary and the Petition and/or the check is not enclosed, this will act as the Petition and applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response.

Attorney Docket No. MX/JFC04-01A  
Date: July 17, 2005  
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Group Art Unit: 2831

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Washington D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the May 6, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are on page 2.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are on page 8 and include an attached replacement sheet.